



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

David V. Goeddel and Mike Rothe

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For: TUMOR NECROSIS FACTOR

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PETITION AND FEE FOR TWO (2) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 3, 1998 for two (2) month(s) from March 16, 1998 to May 16, 1998. The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$400 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$ duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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